

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 10/632,232
Applicant: John E. Schreiber, et al.
Filed: July 31, 2003
Title: METHOD OF IMPROVING THE BIOCIDAL EFFICACY OF DRY ICE
TC/A.U.: 3744
Examiner: William C. Doerrler
Docket Number: Serie 6041
Customer No.: 40582

Commissioner for Patents
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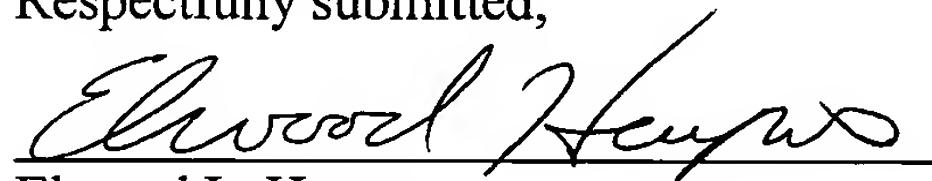
**PETITION AND FEE FOR
EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))**

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby request a 2 month extension of time until February 28, 2005 in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action dated September 30, 2004 for the above-identified application. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 01-1375 the fee of \$450.00 for obtaining this extension of time. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-1375. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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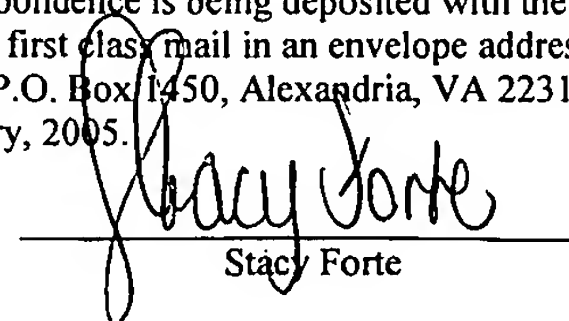
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